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In re Application of: Klocek, et al.
Serial No.: Unknown
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Group No.: Unknown
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
SWITCHING OPTICAL SIGNALS WITH A
PHOTON BAND GAP DEVICE

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants are enclosing copies of two documents which may be material to examination of the present application. These documents are listed on enclosed Form PTO-1449.

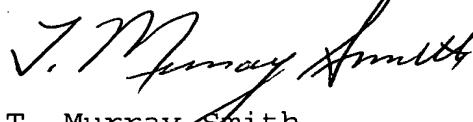
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It is respectfully requested that the enclosed documents be taken into account when this application is taken up for examination. Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

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